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Applicants:

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Title:

ANNEXIN DERIVATIVES WITH ENDOGENOUS CHELATION SITES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

In the Specification:

After the title, please add the following:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a divisional of co-pending Application No. 09/324,096, filed June 1, 1999, the benefit of the priority of the filing date of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

Please amend Table 1 at page 12 as follows:

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JT-297	рЈ118	TATGGCATGTGGCTGCGGTCA (SEQ ID NO:11)	
JT-298	рЈ118	TATGACCGCAGCCACATGCCA (SEQ ID NO:12)	

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 1-20 and 39-62.

REMARKS

By this amendment, Claims 1-20 and 39-62 are canceled and Claims 21-38 are pending.

To comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825, applicants have amended the specification at page 12, Table 1, and enclose herewith a substitute paper copy and a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing". The content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and include no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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